

Traffic-Checking Stations.

208 *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): With reference to interpellation No. 143 answered on the 6th August 1936, will the Government be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of traffic-checking stations in the State;
- (b) the amount of rent paid to these stations per mensem; and
- (c) whether checking staff is retained for more than 6 months in a station?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Commissioner of Police*): (a) 45
(b) Nil.

(c) No period is fixed for the retention of a constable in a checking station.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know whether the traffic checking stations numbering 45, are all located in Government buildings?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Commissioner of Police*): No.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know whether no rent is given for the buildings that do not belong to Government?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Commissioner of Police*): No rent is given.

Departmental Tests in the Revenue Department.

209. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): With reference to the answer to interpellation No. 162 answered on the 6th August 1936, will the Government be pleased to state whether any preference is given to those who have passed the Revenue Tests earlier?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Land Revenue and Income Tax Commissioner*): No preference is shown on the ground that a subordinate has passed the Revenue Test earlier than his senior if at the time the vacancy occurs in the higher grade the latter has passed the test.

Accidents on the Main Road.

210. *MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of accidents that took place on the Main Road from the Museum to the East Fort, Trivandrum, during 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111 and 1112 M. E. (till 16-3-1112)?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Commissioner of Police*):

1108	5
1109	13
1110	7
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1112 (till 16-3-1112).	2

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know what proposals have been adopted by Government in order to ward off accidents on the main road here from Museum to East Fort?

MR. R. PITCHU AIYANGAR (*Commissioner of Police*): We are attempting to educate people in road sense.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know whether there is any proposal to widen the road and thus to ward off accidents?